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Hot Rolls. Cake.
Tea. Coffee.

HYDE WAS HIS OWN WORST ENEMY, SAYS JUROR WHO CONVICTED HIM

Declares He Was Damned by
Testimony on Witness
Stand.

MUST SERVE LIFE TERM

Physician Is Found Guilty of
Murdering Colonel Swope,
Millionaire.

Kansas City, Mo., May 16.—Dr. B. C. Hyde, whom a jury to-day found guilty of murdering Colonel Thomas H. Swope by poison, and sentenced to life imprisonment, owes his conviction to his own testimony on the witness stand, according to a statement made to-night by W. C. Crone, the juror who decided the physician's fate, after nearly three days of balloting.

Until Saturday night Crone and R. Johnson, a farmer, held out for acquittal against the rest of the jury. Remembering Dr. Hyde's demeanor on the stand, Mr. Crone finally decided the physician's fate by voting for conviction and persuading Johnson to do the same.

"Dr. Hyde was his own worst enemy in the trial," said Mr. Crone to-night. "His own testimony convicted him."

"When Dr. Hyde said he had bought cyanide for ten years and yet could not remember where he bought it he damned himself as a witness. If he had not testified as he did, I think he would not be in the position he is in."

"At first I believed Hyde innocent, and until Sunday night I voted to acquit him. Then I recalled his testimony about his cyanide purchases and I decided he was guilty. I told Mr. Johnson I had changed my vote, and I talked about my decision. I think my reasoning had an effect on him."

Crone's son, Albert, was recently sentenced to eighteen years in prison for murdering Bertha Bowler, his sweetheart.

No Dramatic Features.
The return of the verdict to-day was marked by an absence of dramatic



DR. B. C. HYDE.

features. Mrs. Hyde cried when she heard the verdict in the courtroom. Dr. Hyde did not change his usual stoical appearance. Mrs. Logan O.

Swope was unnerved when, at her home in Independence, she heard the outcome, but she soon regained her composure. It was what she had been fighting for, and she was satisfied, she said.

"My home is still open to my daughter," said Mrs. Hyde to her daughter. "But Mrs. Hyde is not going back to her mother. She is still loyal to her husband, and confidently believes the court will free him. She is going to take up his fight immediately and battle on until he is freed or her funds are exhausted, she says."

"Clarke is innocent, and he shall be freed," she declared.

Hyde takes his imprisonment calmly. He was asleep to-day soon after the verdict was announced. He professed to believe that the case would be remanded for new trial when it reached the Supreme Court. His attorneys will make a motion for a new trial some day this week. The physician will be sentenced on Saturday, probably. By law, he is not admissible to bail. It is discretionary with Judge Ralph S. Latham whether Dr. Hyde be sent to prison, or held at the county jail, pending consideration of his case by the Supreme Court.

"Until after Dr. Hyde's attorneys have applied for a new trial, I shall not decide what will be done with the

prisoner, pending decision on his appeal," said the judge to-night.

SNEAD TRIAL PUT OFF TILL AUGUST 29

Counsel for Three Sisters in
Bathtub Tragedy Secure a
Postponement.

New York, May 16.—The trial of Miss Virginia O. Wardlaw, Mrs. Caroline B. Martin and Mrs. Mary M. Snead, the three Wardlaw sisters, charged with the murder of Mrs. Okey Snead, whose body was found in a bath tub in East Orange on November 29 last, has again been postponed. It had been set for next Monday, but Chief Justice Gummere, at Newark, yesterday granted the application of counsel for the accused sisters for a postponement of the trial. August 29 was announced as the date off which the trial will take place.

Chandler W. Riker, former prosecutor, appeared for Mrs. Martin, Franklin W. Fort for Miss Wardlaw, and Samuel and Abner Kalish for Mrs. Snead. The postponement was asked for on the ground that counsel had not had sufficient time in which to prepare the defense, owing to the importance of the case.

Mr. Riker said there were eighty witnesses to be examined, and there were a number of papers also to be prepared. He said that counsel for the three women had decided that they would be ready to go to trial on the last Monday in August, and he would request that the court fix that day as the beginning of the case.

Prosecutor Mott said the State would be ready to go to trial at any time. Counsel will not make any attempt to have any of the three women admitted to bail.

"SHEP" GRADUATE ELOPES.

Son of Connecticut State Senator Weds
New Haven Girl.

New Haven, May 16.—Seymour Brinsmade, son of State Senator Daniel Brinsmade, president of the Housatonic Water Company, of Shelton, and Miss Carolyn Mendels, for several months a clerk in the New Haven Shoe Company, in this city, ran away on Wednesday and were married in East Orange, N. J., by the Rev. Ferdinand D. Bianchi.

The bride is the daughter of Isaac Mendels, of this city. Brinsmade is twenty-four years old. He was graduated from the Sheffield Scientific School of Yale two years ago. The young people have not yet asked their parents for forgiveness.

GIVES LIFE FOR BROTHERS.

Hero Started to Swim Ashore From
Overloaded Boat.

Rice's Landing, Pa., May 16.—After leaping into the Monongahela River that his two foster-brothers might get in a skiff, which had been overweighted, Grover Crago, twenty-five years old, was drowned while attempting to swim to shore a short distance above lock No. 7.

Crago, with his twin brothers, Allison and Robert Crago, fourteen years old, had been collecting driftwood. They were in about the middle of the stream when Crago noticed that the

boat was low in the water. He directed his companions to take the boat to shore, and jumped into the river and started to swim for the bank. Several persons watched his efforts from the shore, but they had no means to go to his assistance. When about fifty feet from the shore he sank.

Roanoke Firm Goes Into Bankruptcy.
(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
Roanoke, Va., May 16.—The American Shoe Company, of Roanoke, William H. Duncan, proprietor, has gone into bankruptcy. The liabilities are about \$10,000. A large majority of the creditors are wholesale dealers and manufacturers of shoes, the largest creditor being the Hamilton Brown Shoe Company, of St. Louis.

WIRING DANGEROUS

Department to Make Special Inspection in
Washington Ward.
City Electrician Thompson will present a petition to the Committee on Electricity at its next meeting asking for a special appropriation for the temporary appointment of an additional electrical inspector to report on the condition of wiring in Washington Ward, both public and private. It is represented that for years the regulations in the former city of Manchester were most lax, and that a great deal of work was done that would not pass the standards of Richmond inspection, and which may constitute a fire hazard. It is not believed that it will be necessary to add another permanent inspector, as the present force can keep up with all new work as it is installed. It is desired, however, to have all present work gone over and a report made so that steps may be taken to eliminate dangerous construction.

GOLF.

Those interested in golf can obtain, by personal or written request, to C. and O. general passenger office, Eighth and Main, a pamphlet by A. H. Findlay, the champion golfer, a description over his signature of the new golf course at the White Sulphur Springs.

A booklet, telling of the many improvements going on at the "Old White," may also be had.

SOLDIERS STILL GREATLY STIRRED

Close Guard Kept at Fort to Prevent
Further Trouble With
Negroes.

Beaufort, S. C., May 16.—Major Frank G. Mauldin, of the Coast Artillery, has forwarded to the War Department a report of the investigation which he has conducted into the serious clash of last week between soldiers stationed at Fort Fremont and negro residents of the adjacent islands, which resulted in the shooting of six privates by two negro brothers named Potter. Major Mauldin declined to make any statement regarding the result of the investigation.

The shooting of the soldiers greatly stirred the garrison at Fort Fremont, and extraordinary efforts have been taken to prevent any of the men leaving the reservation, double guard duty being maintained day and night.

Some of the comrades of the wounded soldiers are decidedly restless, and some have openly made threats against the lives of the Potter negroes. However, there has not been the slightest manifestation of race feeling in this community.

Isiah Potter is in jail here, but efforts to capture Will Potter, who is charged with being the principal in the attack on the soldiers Monday night, in which four privates were shot from ambush, have been in vain. He is believed to be concealed in some of the several thousand negro cabins on St. Helena Island.

For some time there has been an

element among the Fort Fremont soldiers which has been fraternizing with negroes, especially the Potter brothers, and this is generally assigned as the cause of the clash.

It is considered miraculous that the Potters escaped from their home Tuesday evening, as the soldiers who went there in search of the negro brothers, whom they considered the principals in the ambushade of the soldiers on Monday night, literally shot the house to pieces.

The post surgeon announced to-night that the condition of Privates Quigley and McNally was still serious. The other four men are peppered with small shot and their condition was never considered serious.

All members of the garrison in any way connected with the affair have been placed under arrest, including Private McGhan, whose cutting of Isiah Potter, the soldiers claim, was the cause of the attempted assassination of the four soldiers on Monday night and the subsequent fight at the Potter house.

The cutting of the negro Isiah Potter by Private McGhan occurred ten days ago, at night, and after Potter had been ordered by a corporal to leave the reservation. McGhan says he used his penknife on the negro when he discovered him trying to steal money from his (McGhan's) pockets.

ALLEGED FORGER ESCAPES

Man Wanted in Richmond Being Searched
For Authorities in Elberton, Ga.

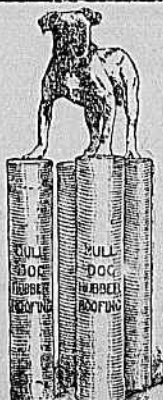
Police headquarters received information yesterday that Owen L. Hugh, alias W. C. Reed, who is wanted here for forgery, had escaped in Athens, Ga., while he was waiting to serve the term to which he had been sentenced.

Chief of Police Charles W. Johnson, of Elberton, Ga., who also holds a warrant for the man, wrote to say that he would use every effort to recapture him.

Convention

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